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Choice Selections in Bulbs, Etc.



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DUTCH HYACINTHS

First-Sized or Exhibition Bulbs

Selected Bulbs for Forcing or Outdoor Planting

Blue			
GRAND MAITRE	Dozen	100	
Deep porcelain-blue, large truss.....	\$3.00	\$20.00	
KING OF THE BLUES			
Dark Blue. Extra large spike.....	3.00	20.00	
QUEEN OF THE BLUES			
Very light porcelain-blue.....	3.00	20.00	
Pink			
GERTRUDE			
Bright pink. Fine compact spike....	3.00	20.00	
GIGANTEA			
Light, delicate flesh pink.....	3.00	20.00	
QUEEN OF THE PINKS			
Brilliant rosy-pink	3.00	20.00	
LADY DERBY			
Bright rose-pink. Strong, perfect spike	3.00	20.00	
LA VICTOIRE			
Brilliant dark pink. Extra.....	3.00	20.00	
White			
LA GRANDESSE			
Pure white. Large Spike.....	3.00	20.00	
L'INNOCENCE			
Pure white. Fine massive spike.....	3.00	20.00	
Yellow			
YELLOW HAMMER			
Golden yellow. Fine large spike.....	3.00	20.00	

Miniature Hyacinths

Small-Sized Bulbs for Forcing or Outdoor Planting

GERTRUDE		
Bright pink	1.25	7.00
GRAND MAITRE		
Deep porcelain-blue	1.25	7.00
JOHAN		
Light blue, large spike.....	1.25	7.00
LADY DERBY		
Bright rose-pink	1.25	7.00
LA GRANDESSE		
Pure white	1.25	7.00
L'INNOCENCE		
Pure white	1.25	7.00
LA VICTOIRE		
Brilliant dark pink.....	1.25	7.00

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

COULEUR CARDINAL		
Dark scarlet crimson.....	1.25	7.50
FLAMINGO		
Delicate flesh, tinted rose.....	1.25	7.00
GOLD FINCH		
Deep golden yellow.....	.85	5.00
KEIZERSKROON		
Red, heavily bordered golden yellow	1.25	7.00
LA REINE MAXIMUS		
White, slightly shaded pink.....	1.00	6.00

MON TRESOR	Dozen	100
Golden yellow. Extra.....	\$1.00	\$6.00
PINK BEAUTY		
Cherry-rose, margined white.....	1.50	10.00
PROSPERITY		
Rose color. Extra.....	1.00	6.00
ROSE LUISANTE		
Superb rose color.....	1.25	8.50
VERMILION BRILLIANT		
Brilliant scarlet	1.25	8.50
FINEST MIXED		
A choice mixture of named varieties	.60	3.50

DOUBLE TULIPS

COURONNE D'OR		
Yellow, shaded orange.....	1.25	7.00
IMPERATOR RUBRORUM		
Bright scarlet	1.25	7.00
MR. VAN DER HOEF		
Pure yellow	1.50	9.00
MURILLO		
Blush-white, shaded rose	1.00	5.50
PEACH BLOSSOM		
Deep pink. Extra fine.....	2.00	12.00
SALVATOR ROSA		
Deep rose, flamed white.....	1.25	7.00
TEAROSE		
Light yellow	1.00	6.00
VUURBAAK		
Fiery scarlet	1.25	8.50
FINEST MIXED		
A choice mixture of named varieties	.80	4.50

DARWIN TULIPS

The late-flowering Darwin and Cottage, or May-flowering, Tulips are the most showy of the spring-flowering bulbs and should be planted largely in every garden.

BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE	Dozen	100
Vivid rose	\$.85	\$5.00
BARTIGON		
Fiery crimson	1.25	7.00
CLARA BUTT		
Clear salmon-pink85	5.00
MR. FARNCOMBE SANDERS		
Bright carmine-scarlet, with clear white base	1.00	6.00
MME. KRELAGE		
Bright rose, changing to silvery rose	1.00	6.50
MASSACHUSETTS		
Vivid pink	1.00	6.00
PRIDE OF HAARLEM		
Brilliant rosy carmine, with blue base	.85	5.00
WHITE QUEEN		
Rosy white, changing to pure white..	1.00	5.50
WILLIAM COPELAND		
Bright violet, early forcer.....	1.25	7.00
FINEST MIXED		
A choice mixture of named varieties	.80	4.50

COTTAGE OR MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

BOUTON D'OR	Dozen	100
Pure golden yellow.....	\$.85	\$5.00
GESNERIANA SPATHULATA		
Dark brilliant scarlet.....	.85	5.00

CROCUS

NAMED

Best named sorts. Mammoth bulbs..	.60	3.00
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NARCISSUS

ALBA PLENA ODORATA

Pure white, gardenia-like flowers.		
Very fragrant.....	\$1.00	\$6.00

BARRI CONSPICUUS

Canary yellow with deep yellow cup.		
Edged orange red.....	1.25	7.00

EMPEROR

Deep yellow trumpet sulphur perianth. Selected double-nosed bulbs..	1.50	9.00
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GOLDEN SPUR

Large single trumpet. Deep golden yellow. Selected double-nosed bulbs	1.50	9.00
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MRS. LANGTRY

Broad white petals, with large white cup, edged yellow.....	1.00	5.50
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POETICUS ORNATUS

Pure white, with scarlet ring. Selected double-nosed bulbs	1.00	6.00
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VICTORIA

Rich yellow, fluted trumpet. Pure white perianth. Selected double-nosed bulbs	1.50	9.00
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VON SION, or DOUBLE YELLOW DAFFODIL

Pure golden yellow, double. Selected double-nosed bulbs	1.50	9.00
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CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS (Jonquils)

Single yellow star-shaped flowers, borne in clusters. Fragrant.....	1.00	5.50
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PAPER WHITE GRANDIFLORA

Extra selected bulbs.....	1.00	6.00
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FREESIAS

PURITY

Pure white. Extra quality bulbs.....	.65	3.50
Pure white. Mammoth bulbs.....	1.00	6.00

LILIES

GIGANTEUM

Extra quality bulbs (ready November 1st)	5.00	30.00
Extra selected bulbs (ready November 1st)	7.50	50.00

CALLA

Aethopica (large white)	Each	Doz.
Selected bulbs	\$.50	\$5.00
Elliottiana (yellow)		
Selected bulbs (ready in Nov.)....	.50	5.00
Godfrey (dwarf white)		
Selected bulbs (ready in October)	.50	5.00

CANDIDUM

Selected bulbs40	4.00
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LILY OF THE VALLEY

Perfection Cold Storage for early forcing. Selected pips. Case 250 pips, \$17.50 per case; case 500 pips, \$30.00 per case.

Perfection New Importation (ready November 1st). Per 100, \$5.00; per 1000, \$45.00.

POT-GROWN STRAWBERRY PLANTS

SUMMER AND FALL, 1924

Pot-grown Strawberry plants planted this summer will bear a full crop of berries next June.

We offer the following choice varieties, out of
2¼ inch pots.

Brandywine. An exceptionally fine sort. Although an old variety, it is still in demand. Midseason to late. Fruit bright crimson, very large, excellent quality. \$7.00 per 100.

Bushel Basket. A splendid midseason variety. A giant in both plant and fruit. Very fine quality. Awarded the Barry Gold Medal. \$8.00 per 100.

Chesapeake. Strong, robust growing variety. Berries very large, crimson. Midseason to late. \$8.00 per 100.

Early Jersey Giant. The best extra early variety. Fruit brilliant crimson, exceptionally firm, with a rich wild strawberry flavor. Very strong grower. \$8.00 per 100.

Gandy. Fruit large, bright crimson. One of the best late varieties. \$7.00 per 100.

Marshall. One of the best early to midseason Strawberries. Berries are of immense size, dark crimson, and of the finest flavor. \$8.00 per 100.

Nick Ohmer. Fruit very large, rich dark red, midseason, of high flavor and wonderfully productive. \$7.00 per 100.

Royal Sovereign. A very popular variety which has proved one of the best for forcing. \$12.00 per 100.

William Belt. Very productive. Very large and of high quality. Fruit deep glossy red. Fruiting midseason. \$7.00 per 100.

FALL OR EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

You can prolong the season by planting the fall-bearing varieties. They fruit at the same time as other Strawberries, and then again in the fall. We offer the following varieties, which are the best of the fall-fruited sorts.

Progressive. Fruit rich deep crimson, medium in size, and of good quality, splendid grower. Very productive. One of the best of the everbearing varieties. \$11.00 per 100.

Superb. The berries are nearly round, smooth, dark crimson, of sweet, mild flavor. Medium in size. One of the best. \$11.00 per 100.

LAWN GRASS SEED

For Fall Sowing

Pierson's Perfection. The best mixture made for lawns, grass plots, etc. Nothing adds so much to the beauty of a country place as a well-kept velvety lawn. In order to secure this, it is necessary that the proper grasses should be sown. More disappointment results from sowing inferior seed than from any other cause.

Our Perfection mixture is composed of the finest American grasses in proper proportions of such kinds as are best adapted for our hot, dry summers, and will form a close, velvety lawn very quickly after being sown. Oats should never be sown with our mixture, as our seed comes up quick and strong, and is better without them. For new lawns, use 85 lbs. per acre. One pound will sow 500 square feet. Lb., 50c.; 5 lbs., \$2.25; 20 lbs., \$8.00.

Our Special Mixture for Shady Lawns. A mixture of fine grasses that are best adapted and most suitable for growing in shady places, under trees or close to walls where there is little sun. Lb., 55c.; 5 lbs., \$2.50; 20 lbs., \$9.00.

FERTILIZERS

PURE BONE MEAL. Quick acting and immediately available, for which reason it is largely used for mixing in potting soil and for top dressing roses, carnations, and other plants grown under glass. It is also splendid for garden use. It is made from hard, dry bone, is perfectly pure and entirely free from acid, and can be used with perfect safety in any quantity. We use it largely in our rose soil, and have found it the very best grade of bone for the purpose.

10 lbs., 75c.; 25 lbs., \$1.50; bag (100 lbs.), \$5.00; bag (167 lbs.), \$7.50; ton, \$65.00.

BLOOD AND BONE. A high-grade fertilizer of superior quality for enriching lawns and grass plots. Very desirable for quick or lasting results. Particularly valuable for all garden and farm crops, small fruits, fruit trees, etc.

10 lbs., 75c.; 25 lbs., \$1.50; bag (167 lbs.), \$7.50; ton, \$70.00.

PULVERIZED SHEEP MANURE. An excellent natural manure. Very desirable for top dressing or for mixing with the soil for greenhouse or garden use; also for top dressing lawns, grass plots, etc., and for making liquid manure.

10 lbs., 75c.; 25 lbs., \$1.25; bag (100 lbs.), \$4.00; ton, \$65.00.

STIM-U-PLANT. An odorless plant food in tablet form for fertilizing all kinds of growing plants in the home or garden. It is particularly desirable for use on all house plants. The tablets can be placed directly in the soil or dissolved in water and then applied.

Packages containing 30 tablets, 25c.; 100 tablets, 75c.; 1,000 tablets, \$3.50.